Bowel continence code N

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| Identifying and definitional attributes | |
| Metadata item type: | Value Domain |
| METEOR identifier: | 270916 |
| Registration status: | [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005 |
| Definition: | A code set representing levels of bowel continence. |

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| Representational attributes | | |
| Representation class: | Code | |
| Data type: | Number | |
| Format: | N | |
| Maximum character length: | 1 | |
|  | **Value** | **Meaning** |
| Permissible values: | 1 | Continent of faeces (includes independence in use of device) |
|  | 2 | Incontinent less than daily |
|  | 3 | Incontinent once per 24 hour period |
|  | 4 | Incontinent regularly, more than once per 24 hour period |
|  | 5 | Incontinent more than once at night only |

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| Relational attributes | |
| Data elements implementing this value domain: | [Person—dependency in activities of daily living (bowel continence), code N](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/content/270418)  [Health](https://meteor.aihw.gov.au/RegistrationAuthority/12), Standard 01/03/2005 |